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(54) **Method for fragmenting cured unsaturated polyester resin and method for separating composite material**

(57) The present invention provides a decomposition treatment liquid for a cured unsaturated polyester resin, comprising a phosphoric acid-type compound or salt thereof and an organic solvent as essential com-

ponents. By using the treatment liquid of the invention, a cured unsaturated polyester resin can be easily decomposed or dissolved.

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